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Applicant : Dieter Rumpf
Serial No. : 10/692,218
Filing Date : October 23, 2003
For : VEHICLE STEERING WHEEL
Group Art Unit : 2832
Examiner : K.S. Lee
Attorney Docket No. : TRW(ASG)6802
Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 6, 2004,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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